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#### ALLEN, H. F.

Herbert Francis Allen (Compositor) enlisted in May 1916 in the Cambridgeshire Regt., from which he was afterwards transferred to the Suffolk Regt., and later to the Middlesex Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in September 1916, and in January of the following year he went to France. He was invalided home with trench fever in April 1917, but, having been promoted Corporal in September 1917 and Lance-Sergeant in the following December, returned to France in January 1918. He was promoted Sergeant in May 1918.

## **\***ARGENT, W. S.

Walter Samuel Argent (Compositor) served in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., in which he attained the rank of Sergeant, and later in the King's (Liverpool Regt.). He was killed in action during the German advance in April 1918.

# AUSTIN, O.

Owen Austin (Compositor) was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. at the outbreak of war, having been in the Territorial Force since 1912. He was afterwards transferred to the Norfolk Regt., in which he served in the 9th and the 8th Bns. He went to France in September 1916, but was wounded on October 15th and was in England until March 1917, when he returned to France. In November 1917 he was invalided home, and was discharged on medical grounds in February 1918.

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#### \*AVES, E. C.

Edward Charles Aves (Compositor), a Territorial before the war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914; he was afterwards transferred to the Machine Gun Corps, but previously to that he held the appointments of Company Quartermaster-Sergeant and Company Sergeant-Major in the 1/1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. He landed in France in February 1915 and served overseas continuously for more than three years. He was reported missing on April 10th, 1918, and was later reported to have been killed on that date.

## AVES, R. J.

Robert John Aves (Machine-minder) enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps in July 1916 and was transferred to the Royal Air Force on its formation on April 1st, 1918. He served in No. 3 Training Squadron and later in No. 21 Training Depôt Station (Engine Repair Section). He was appointed 1st Class Air Mechanic in August 1917.

## BAILEY, H. H. B.

Horace Hugh Beresford Bailey (Compositor) had served for 5 years (1908–1912) in the Territorial Force before the war. His low medical category prevented him from joining the colours on the outbreak of war, but in August 1915 he became a Hospital Orderly under the British Red Cross Society. He served first in No. XI Ambulance Train, and was transferred to Boulogne in January 1916; later in the same year he was transferred to No. 2 Red Cross Hospital, Rouen, where he remained until the end of 1918. From January to March 1919 he was at the Star and Garter Hospital, Richmond.

# BAINES, C. H.

Charles Henry Baines (Compositor) enlisted in May 1915, at the age of 43, in the Army Service Corps, and was afterwards transferred to the Labour Corps, where he served first in the 12th Coy. and afterwards in the 722nd Coy. He was in France from May 1915 until his demobilisation in February 1919. He was promoted Acting-Sergeant in November 1917.

#### BAKER, C. E.

Charles Edgar Baker (Compositor) was 42 years of age on the outbreak of war. He enlisted on August 1st, 1918, in the Royal Army Service Corps (M.T.), and served in No. 10 Mobile Coy. until his demobilisation in February 1919.

### BARRON, A.

Alfred Barron (Foundry) enlisted in the Royal Field Artillery in February 1916. He was afterwards wounded.

### BAVEY, A. F.

Alfred Frederick Bavey (Foundry), who had been in the Territorial Force since 1910, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. In June 1916 he was promoted Lance-Corporal, and during that and the following year he was Acting Master-Cook at a School of Instruction. In 1918 he joined the 1st Bn. Norfolk Regt. in France, where his unit took part in the final capture of Bapaume and of Cambrai.

### BAVEY, P. S.

Percy Samuel Bavey (Machine-minder) attested in December 1915 and was called up in August 1916. He joined the Royal Garrison Artillery at Dover, and after serving for 12 months on coast defence at Sheerness he saw 20 months active service in France and Belgium with 346 Siege Battery.

# ₩BIGGS, A. V.

Albert Victor Biggs (Art Department) enlisted in June 1915 in the Suffolk Regt. and served successively in the 12th and 15th Bns. He was promoted Lance-Corporal before the end of 1915, and received two further promotions, to Corporal and to Sergeant, during 1916. He was wounded in France in 1916. After his recovery he served in Egypt, and later again in France, where he was killed on September 21st, 1918.

#### BILTON, W.

Warwick Bilton (Compositor) had enlisted in the Territorial Force in January 1914 and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. Having been discharged on medical grounds in December 1914, he re-enlisted in July 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.), and served successively in the 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, and the Cherryhinton Military Hospital, being promoted Corporal in June 1916. In March 1918 he was drafted to the 55th Field Ambulance (18th Division) in France, and in the following June he was wounded.

### BIRD, W. LE R.

Walter Le Roy Bird (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in August 1914 in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.). He served in Egypt and Gallipoli from August 1915 to January 1916, when he was invalided home with enteric fever. In June 1917 he was promoted Acting-Corporal. He went to France in March 1918, and, though gassed on May 15th, 1918, continued to serve overseas until March 1919.

## BLACKWELL, J. J.

Joseph John Blackwell (Storekeeper) enlisted in the Royal Air Force on November 1st, 1918, at the age of 47. He was demobilised shortly after the armistice.

# BLAKE, G. F.

George Frank Blake (Apprentice machine-minder) enlisted in October 1916 in the 3rd Bn. Norfolk Regt. In January 1917 he joined the 9th Bn. Royal Irish Rifles in France and served with this unit in the 36th (Ulster) Division continuously until January 1919.

# BLANE, E. V.

Ernest Victor Blane (Apprentice machine-minder), having been in the Territorial Force since 1912, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He went overseas with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and served continuously in France and Belgium for 2½ years. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in May 1915. He was afterwards transferred to the 3rd (Res.) Bn. Suffolk Regt.

## BOLTER, P.

Percy Bolter (Country Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in August 1916 in the 9th Bn. County of London Regt. (Queen Victoria's Rifles). He was employed chiefly on clerical work and was demobilised in February 1919.

### BONING, S. B.

Stanley Bridges Boning (Bible Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in December 1914 in the Army Pay Corps. He was promoted Corporal in 1915 and was demobilised in May 1920.

#### BOOT, F. W.

Frederick William Boot (Monotype caster) enlisted in the Royal Army Service Corps in June 1918 at the age of 45. He served in France in the 200th Coy. (25th Division) from October 1918 until his demobilisation in July 1919.

#### BRAND, C. F.

Charles Frank Brand (Monotype operator), having been in the Territorial Force since 1912, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. In March 1916 he transferred to the Special Brigade, Royal Engineers, in France, where he remained until February 1918. He was promoted Corporal in April 1916 and Sergeant in December 1917. In October 1918 he entered an Officer Cadet Bn. and was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the Suffolk Regt. in March 1919.

# BRASHER, V. F.

Victor Frank Brasher (Monotype caster) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.) in July 1915. After serving for a time with the 3rd Bn. King's (Liverpool Regt.) he joined the 1/3rd West Riding Field Ambulance overseas in 1917, and served with them until his demobilisation in January 1919.

#### BRITCHER, T. H.

Thomas Henry Britcher (Apprentice machine-minder) was 15 years old on the outbreak of war. He enlisted in October 1918 and served in the 25th Recruit Distribution Bn. (attd. Northampton Regt.) until his discharge in February 1919.

#### BROMELL, W. H.

William Henry Bromell (Monotype operator) enlisted in the 15th London Regt. (Civil Service Rifles) in February 1917 at the age of 40. In May 1917 he went to France, where he remained until January 1919. He was transferred to the Royal Engineers in October 1917 and served with the 5th Field Survey Coy. until December 1918, when he was transferred to the Army Printing and Stationery Services.

## \*BROOKS, J. C.

John Cadman Brooks (Monotype operator) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. in July 1916. He joined the I/Ist Bn. in France in November 1916 and had seen nearly a year's fighting service before his death on September 26th, 1917, on Tower Hamlets Ridge during the Third Battle of Ypres.

### BROOM, A. C.

Anderson Charles Broom (Foundry), having been in the Territorial Force since 1912, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. In March 1916 he transferred to the Special Brigade, Royal Engineers, and was appointed despatch-rider to No. 3 Special Coy. in France. He served overseas from March 1916 until February 1919.

### BROWN, J.

James Brown (Compositor) enlisted in February 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps and served successively in the 1st E. Anglian Field Ambulance, No. 88 Field Ambulance, and No. 82 Casualty Clearing Station. He landed in Gallipoli in July 1915, was injured in the torpedoing of the transport Royal Edward on August 13th, 1915, and returned to England in the following November. In May 1916 he went to France, where he was gassed and invalided home in March 1918. In August 1918 he went to Russia, where he served until his demobilisation in the following year.

#### BROWN, P. H.

Percy Harold Brown (Compositor) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps in July 1915; he was afterwards transferred to the King's (Liverpool) Regt., and thence to the Machine Gun Corps. In December 1917 he went to France, where he served until after the armistice. He was gassed during the German offensive in March 1918.

# BUNTING, C.

Charles Bunting (Store Room) enlisted in May 1915 in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt.

#### BURLING, F.

Frederick Burling (Warehouse) enlisted in the Army Ordnance Corps in July 1916. He went to Salonika in September 1916 and served there continuously until October 1919, when he returned home on demobilisation.

### BURT, H. J.

Henry James Burt (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in September 1914 in the Royal Army Medical Corps. He was posted to the 6th London Field Ambulance (T.F.), and served in France with the 47th (London) Division from March 1915 until his demobilisation in February 1919.

## BURTON, A.

Arthur Burton (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) was 41 years old on the outbreak of war. He enlisted in the Royal Air Force in June 1918 and was posted to No. 8 Store Park, Eastleigh, where he served until his demobilisation in March 1919. He was a member of the R.A.F. Concert Party at Eastleigh.

## BYE, G. F.

George Frederick Bye (Art Department) enlisted in November 1915 in the Royal Garrison Artillery. In May 1916 he went to France and served there until December 1917. After a short period at home, he returned to France in April 1918 and served overseas until his return for demobilisation in June 1919.

### CANNON, P. J.

Percy John Cannon (Reader) enlisted in January 1916 in the 4th Bn. Norfolk Regt., whence he was transferred to the 30th Bn. (City of London) Royal Fusiliers; he later transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, and to the Royal Air Force on its formation. Whilst in the infantry he was Lewis Gun Instructor, and was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1917. In the R.A.F. he was an instructor in aerial gunnery, and was promoted Corporal in March 1918 and Sergeant-Mechanic in the following August.

## CARDER, A. R.

Arthur Ricker Carder (Machine-minder) enlisted in the Royal Garrison Artillery in May 1917. He went overseas in June 1917 and served successively in Belgium, France, and Germany before his return on demobilisation in March 1919. In September 1917 he was wounded and gassed. He was promoted Bombardier in March 1918.

#### CAREY, G. V.

Gordon Vero Carey (Assistant Secretary to the Syndics) obtained a commission in the 8th Bn. The Rifle Brigade in September 1914 and went to France in May 1915. He was wounded on July 30th, 1915, on which date he was also promoted Captain. On discharge from hospital he joined the instructional staff at Cambridge and commanded a Coy. in No. 2 Officer Cadet Bn. until October 1916, when he rejoined his battalion in France. He was promoted Major in March 1917 and held the acting rank of Lieut.-Colonel for short periods during that year. In November 1917 he was attached as "staff learner" to Xth Corps H.Q., and thence was transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, being appointed Adjutant of the 2nd Wing, R.A.F., in May 1918. In November 1918 he returned home on appointment as Staff Officer (3rd grade) at the Air Ministry. He was mentioned in despatches and was awarded a Belgian Croix de Guerre.

#### CHANDLER, C. E.

Cecil Ernest Chandler (Foundry) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps in November 1914. He began his service at the 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, but he afterwards served in Malta, Egypt, and Palestine. In 1918 he was transferred to the Essex Regt. and he was demobilised in March 1919.

#### CHANTER, A. E.

Albert Ernest Chanter (Compositor), who had served in the Territorial Force since 1912, was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. and served overseas with the 1/1st Bn. He was wounded on September 3rd, 1916.

### +CHAPMAN, H.

Herbert Chapman (Compositor), who was serving in the Territorial Force at the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt., and went to France with the I/Ist Bn. in February 1915. A private in 1914, he quickly earned promotion, and by 1917 he had gained the rank of Company Sergeant-Major. At the opening of the Third Battle of Ypres on July 31st, 1917, he was severely wounded at St Julien, NE. of Ypres; he died on September 4th, and was buried on the following day at the Military Cemetery, Etaples. His regimental chaplain writes of him: "If I may say so, very humbly, he was such a splendid man, and in his whole bearing of himself he looked what he was—good and brave. I thank God for the example he set to all who saw and knew him in the Battalion."

## CHAPMAN, H. A.

Henry Arthur Chapman (Machine Room) was mobilised on the outbreak of the war with the Cambridgeshire Regt., and after a few months training at home he went to France, where he served continuously for 4 years, first with the Cambridgeshires and later with the 2nd Bn. South Staffordshire Regt. He was mentioned in despatches in 1915 and was promoted Lance-Corporal in March 1917. In September 1918 he was wounded and gassed, and in the following April he was demobilised.

### CHAPMAN, H. C.

Henry Charles Chapman (Establishment Staff), who had served  $3\frac{1}{2}$  years in the Territorial Force before the war, was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the Cambridgeshire Regt. He was afterwards transferred to the Lincolnshire Regt., in which he served in the 2nd and 8th Bns. He was in France from 1916 until after the armistice, and was twice wounded—on April 21st, 1917, and on May 27th, 1918.

### CHAPMAN, R. W.

Robert William Chapman (Warehouse), who was only 14 years of age on the outbreak of war, enlisted in June 1918 in the 25th Training Reserve Bn. and was afterwards drafted into the 25th (Res.) Garrison Bn. The Rifle Brigade.

### CHAPMAN, T. W.

Thomas William Chapman (Warehouse) served in the Royal Army Medical Corps.

# CHURCHMAN, H. R.

Henry Robert Churchman (Compositor) enlisted in the East Kent Regt. (The Buffs) in June 1916. In the following October he joined the 7th Bn. in France, where he served continuously for a year and a half. On March 22nd, 1918, he was taken prisoner during the German advance.

# CLARK, G. W.

George William Clark (Gas Engine Room) was 37 years of age on the outbreak of war, and was at that time a Corporal in the Territorial Force with  $5\frac{1}{2}$  years service. He was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt., but was transferred to the 13th Bn. Devon Regt., and afterwards to the Southern Command Labour Centre. He was promoted Lance-Sergeant in 1916 and Sergeant in 1917.

## CLARK, R. H.

Robert Henry Clark (Compositor) enlisted in May 1915, at the age of 42, in the Royal Army Service Corps. He served in France for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years in the 11th Labour Company, R.A.S.C., and in January 1918, on transfer to the Army Printing and Stationery Services, he went to Italy with the 3rd Field Printing Company. He was demobilised in June 1919.

### COLE, A. C.

Archibald Charles Cole (Compositor) was in the Territorial Force prior to the war, and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914. He was afterwards wounded.

## COLLINS, B.

Bertie Collins (Apprentice compositor), having already served for nearly a year in the Territorial Force, was mobilised in August 1914 with the Cambridgeshire Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in March 1916, Corporal in May 1916, and Sergeant in the same month. On proceeding overseas in December 1917 he reverted to Private, but within a few months he had once more attained the rank of Corporal. He was wounded in August 1918 and was discharged in November 1919.

# CONEY, E. C.

Edward Charles Coney (Country Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in August 1915 in the 9th Bn. London Regt. He went to France in November 1916 and in April 1917 he was wounded and returned to England. He rejoined his unit in France in September 1917 but was invalided home in the following December. In March 1918 he was placed in category B 3 and transferred to the 6th Bn. Machine Gun Corps for clerical work.

# CONSTABLE, F.

Frank Constable (Foundry) enlisted in October 1916 in the 6th (Cyclist) Bn. of the Suffolk Regt.

#### CORNWELL, B.

Bertram Cornwell (Warehouse) was only 14 years old on the outbreak of war; in July 1915, however, he joined the Royal Navy, in which, at the time of writing, he is still serving. He was promoted Ordinary Signalman in August 1918 and Signalman in January 1919.

#### CORNWELL, H.

Horace Cornwell (Compositor) was serving in the Territorial Force before the war, and in August 1914 he was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. He went to France in October 1916 and continued to serve there until his demobilisation in February 1919. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1917, Corporal in the following August, and Sergeant in May 1918.

### COWLEY, L. A.

Leonard Arthur Cowley (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in May 1916 in the 9th Bn. Royal West Kent Regt., and was afterwards transferred to the 17th Bn. Manchester Regt. He landed in France in October 1916 and saw more than 17 months active service in the field before being taken prisoner on March 22nd, 1918, at the opening of the last German offensive. He was repatriated on December 24th, 1918.

## COWLEY, S. F.

Sidney Frank Cowley (Apprentice machine-minder), being under military age, served with the Sea Scouts on coastguard duty in Devonshire from December 1916 until he was eligible for the Army. In May 1917 he enlisted in the 32nd Training Reserve Bn. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in August 1917, and in December 1917 he joined the 1st Bn. Royal Warwickshire Regt. in France. On August 30th, 1918, at Cambrai he received a severe wound which resulted in the loss of his left foot.

#### CRAWFORD, W.

William Crawford (Country Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps in April 1917, at the age of 38. He was posted to the Headquarters Staff and was employed on clerical work until his demobilisation in February 1919.

## **♣**CUMMINGS, V. E.

Vincent Early Cummings (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in the Honourable Artillery Company in May 1915. He served with the 2nd Bn. until June 1916, when he was drafted to the 1st Bn. in France. He took part in the Battle of Arras in April 1917, but on April 29th near Oppy, NE. of Arras, he was killed in the performance of an act of bravery. He had volunteered to bring in a comrade who was lying wounded in No Man's Land, and was shot by a sniper whilst in the act of carrying him to safety.

### ♣CURZON, A. W. H.

Arthur William Harry Curzon (Reader), who had been a Scoutmaster before the war, enlisted in August 1914 in the 1/1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He went to France with his unit in February 1915, and had seen more than 2 years active service before he was killed in action on July 8th, 1917. His platoon commander wrote: "Your son was always very keen on everything he did, and in spite of the fact that we have had some very trying times, I never once heard him grumble. I think he fully realised the reason he was out here, and made up his mind to do anything he was asked to willingly."

# DAWSON, A. B. W.

Alfred Brand Willis Dawson (Apprentice compositor) served in H.M. Coastguard Station from September 1915 until he was old enough to join the Army. In May 1917 he enlisted in the Notts. and Derby Regt., and was transferred to the 1st Bn. Essex Regt. in France in March 1918. He was wounded in October 1918, during the final British advance.

### DAY, F. G.

Frederick George Day (Apprentice machine-minder), being in the Territorial Force before the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915, was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1917, and Corporal in the following April. In May 1917 he was invalided home, and was promoted Sergeant in July of the same year. In February 1918 he returned to France, on transfer to the 2nd Bn. Suffolk Regt., and was taken prisoner on March 28th, during the German advance. He was repatriated on December 26th, 1918.

## DAY, W. R.

William Robert Day (Monotype caster) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. in September 1914, and in February 1915 he went to France with the 1/1st Bn. During the year 1916 he was twice wounded; in August he was promoted Lance-Corporal and in December he was promoted Corporal. In May 1917 he returned home and served successively with the 26th Training Reserve Bn. and the 25th Recruit Distribution Bn., being promoted Sergeant in July 1917. In October 1918 he returned to France and served there until his demobilisation in April 1919.

# DEBENHAM, S. F.

Stanley Frederick Debenham (Counting-house) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. in September 1914 and was afterwards transferred to the Northamptonshire Regt. Being in a low medical category he was retained for home service, and on demobilisation in February 1919 he was discharged as unfit for further service.

# DENT, A. J.

Arthur John Dent (Counting-house) attested in November 1915 and joined the Royal Field Artillery for service in August 1916. In December 1916 he joined the 91st Bde., R.F.A., in France, where he served until demobilisation in February 1919, taking part in the Third Battle of Ypres, the Cambrai operations of 1917, the retreat from St Quentin, and the defence of Amiens in particular. He was promoted Lance-Bombardier in August 1918 and Bombardier in the following October.

### DENT, H. S.

Herbert Spencer Dent (Reader) enlisted in October 1916 at the age of 39. He served successively in the 2/4th Bn. E. Kent Regt. (The Buffs), 2/5th Bn. Cheshire Regt., and 2/1st Bn. Dorset Yeomanry.

## **♣**DICKERSON, H. E. P.

Henry Edward Patrick Dickerson (Compositor) had been in the Territorial Force for more than 2 years before the war. He was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914 and went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915. He was invalided home in the following May, but he returned to France in August 1916 and was killed in action on October 13th, 1916.

#### DIGBY, W. H.

William Henry Digby (Compositor), after service with the Cambridge University O.T.C., enlisted in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt. in June 1916. In the following October he joined the 2nd Bn. in France, and was shortly afterwards transferred to the 2nd Bn. Lincolnshire Regt. In January 1917 he was invalided home, suffering from chronic appendicitis and thrombophlebitis in both legs, and was discharged from the service as medically unfit in September 1917.

## EGAN, T.

Thomas Egan (Compositor) enlisted in the Royal Engineers in September 1916. He served with the Inland Water Transport in France from December 1916 until demobilisation in December 1919.

# ₩ELLIS, J. M.

James Mansfield Ellis (Machine Room) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in November 1915. He joined the 7th Bn. in France in June 1916, and on August 18th he was reported missing. It has since been reported that he was killed in action.

#### EVANS, A. J.

Alfred John Evans (Town Department, Fetter Lane) was only 14 years old on the outbreak of war. He enlisted in October 1918 in the 20th Bn. King's Royal Rifle Corps. After the armistice he was transferred to No. 5 Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., in the Army of Occupation. He was demobilised in April 1920.

#### **\*EYERS, H.**

Harold Eyers (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in September 1914 in the 5th Bn. City of London Regt. (London Rifle Brigade). He went to France with his unit in March 1915 and in the following May he was killed in action.

### FENN, F. C.

Frederick Charles Fenn (Machine Room) enlisted in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. in September 1914. He was afterwards wounded in action.

## FORDHAM, C. R.

Charles Robert Fordham (Foundry) enlisted in August 1916 in the 3rd Bn. Norfolk Regt., whence he was afterwards transferred to the Norfolk Yeomanry. From February 1917 to April 1918 he served in Egypt and Palestine, taking part in the capture of Jerusalem. In May 1918 his unit was transferred to France, where he served until the following September.

# FORDHAM, F. C.

Frederick Clements Fordham (Machine Room) enlisted in November 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt., and served successively in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Bns., attaining the rank of Corporal. He served in France from December 1916 to March 1917, when he was invalided home with trench fever, and again from September 1917 until the following December, when he returned home suffering from shell-shock and gaspoisoning. He was discharged from the service on medical grounds in May 1918.

#### FOREMAN, S.

Sydney Foreman (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. immediately on the outbreak of war. He went to France in March 1916, was promoted Corporal in March 1917, and was wounded on July 31st, in the Third Battle of Ypres. He was demobilised in February 1919.

# FRANKLIN, J.

Joseph Franklin (Apprentice machine-minder) enlisted in September 1914 in the 1/1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), and in February 1915 he went with his unit to France. He was slightly wounded in June 1916, and in the same month he was awarded the Military Medal. He was promoted Sergeant in January 1917. In September 1917 he returned to England as a candidate for a commission, and he went back to France in the following November as a 2nd Lieutenant in the 4th Bn. Middlesex Regt. After the armistice he was transferred to the 7th Bn. Middlesex Regt. in the Army of Occupation. He was promoted Lieutenant in March 1919.

## FREEMAN, E. J. F.

Edward James Freeman (Reader) enlisted in January 1917 in the 2/6th Bn. Suffolk Regt.

## FREEMAN, F.

Frank Freeman (Store Room) was a Sergeant of more than 6 years standing in the Territorial Force on the outbreak of war. He was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914, but, being considerably over military age, he was retained on home service, and was discharged in April 1916. He has been awarded the Territorial Force Efficiency Medal.

## FULCHER, E. E.

Ernest Edward Fulcher (Compositor), who had served for many years in the National Reserve prior to the war, joined the Cambridgeshire Regt. in January 1915, at the age of 41. He was afterwards transferred to the Royal Defence Corps, in which he was employed on guard duties. In January 1917 at Ipswich docks he was the victim of an accident which caused his disablement and eventual discharge in February 1918.

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#### GASS, G.

George Gass (Compositor) enlisted in June 1916 in the East Surrey Regt., and was afterwards transferred to the Royal Fusiliers. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in September 1916 and Corporal in the following month, but reverted to Private on going overseas in March 1917. After 8 months service in France he went to Italy in November 1917, returning to France in March 1918. He took part in the advance into Germany after the armistice, and served in the Army of Occupation until his demobilisation in April 1919.

## GATES, J. E.

James Edward Gates (Compositor) enlisted in June 1916 in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt. In January 1917 he joined the 1st Bn. Suffolk Regt. on the Salonika front, where he remained until, in March 1918, he was invalided home with malaria. In July 1918 he was transferred to the 21st Bn. Middlesex Regt., and in the following month he was once more transferred, to the 11th Bn. Royal Sussex Regt., with whom he served in Russia from September 1918 to August 1919.

# **⊁**GEORGE, F. R. W.

Frederick Richard William George (Foundry) enlisted in December 1916 in the Machine Gun Corps. He went to France in April 1917, and died of wounds received in action on May 23rd, 1918.

# GILBERT, B.

Bertram Gilbert (Warehouse) enlisted in May 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Regt.

# GILBY, G. F.

George Fuller Gilby (Compositor) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in April 1916. In the following September he joined the 2nd Bn. Lincolnshire Regt. in France, and served with them as a Lewis gunner until January 1917, when he was invalided home with "trench foot." He was afterwards transferred to the Royal Defence Corps.

#### GINN, S. H.

Samuel Herbert Ginn (Compositor) enlisted in October 1916 in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt., and in March 1917 he joined the 4th Bn. in France. From this date he served continuously in the field, in France and Belgium, until his demobilisation in January 1919.

## GODDARD, H. J.

Henry John Goddard (Warehouse), being already in the Territorial Force, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. at the outbreak of war. He went to France with the I/Ist Bn. in February 1915, and in the following May he was wounded. He rejoined his battalion in France in May 1916 and was wounded a second time in October 1916, returning to England in consequence. In May 1917 he was promoted Lance-Corporal, in June Corporal, and in August 1917 Sergeant. In the following month he transferred to the King's African Rifles and went to Africa, where he remained until August 1919.

## GOODENOUGH, H. J.

Harold Jeffs Goodenough (Compositor) enlisted on the outbreak of war in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and served there continuously until his demobilisation early in 1919. He was wounded in May 1915 and again in October 1916.

# GORDON, W. J.

William James Gordon (Monotype caster) had served in the Territorial Force for 6 years prior to the outbreak of war. He was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., and was afterwards transferred successively to the 2/1st Bn., the 4/1st Bn., and the 2/5th Bn. Norfolk Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in April 1915, Corporal in July 1915, and Sergeant in the following November. His time expired in April 1916, but he re-engaged for the duration of the war. In November 1917 he proceeded overseas to join the 3rd Bn. King's African Rifles in East Africa, where he remained until March 1919.

## GRAY, W.

William Gray (Reader) on the outbreak of the war was a Sergeant in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had served for more than 21 years. He was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, but being over military age he was retained for home service. He was appointed Company Quartermaster-Sergeant in 1915. He was discharged in April 1917, but he afterwards served in the 15th Special Service Coy. from June to September 1918. He holds the Territorial Force Efficiency Medal.

#### GUNNS, P. H.

Percy Henry Gunns (Compositor) enlisted in June 1916 in the Suffolk Regt., in which he served successively in the 1st (Garrison), 3rd, and 5th Bns.; he also served for 6 months in the Thames Section Signals. In July 1917 he went to Egypt, and during that and the following year he took part in the campaign in Palestine. He was demobilised in November 1919.

## GUNTON, M. H.

Millercent Harry Gunton (Apprentice machine-minder) enlisted in the 1st (Garrison) Bn. Suffolk Regt. in February 1917, on reaching military age. He was transferred to the Labour Corps in January 1918 and was demobilised in January 1919.

# ♣HAGAN, M. J.

Marshall James Hagan (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in November 1915 in the Huntingdonshire Cyclist Bn. In June 1916 he joined the 1st Bn. Bedfordshire Regt. in France. He was wounded in September 1916 and again in February 1917, and on April 23rd, 1917, he was killed in action.

# HAGAN, W. L.

William Lewis Hagan (Apprentice compositor) was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war, having already served  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years in the Territorial Force, and being at that time a Lance-Corporal. He was promoted Corporal in February 1916, and in the following December he went to France. He returned to England in July 1917 and was for a time Instructor in Drill, Musketry, and Lewis Gun. In February 1918 he was attached to the Royal Flying Corps as Drill Instructor and was duly transferred to the Royal Air Force in the following April. He was demobilised in February 1919.

### \*HAGGER, H.

Harry Hagger (Machine-minder) enlisted in November 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. In September 1918 he was transferred to the 11th Bn. South Lancashire Regt. in France. He was severely wounded on November 2nd, 1918, and died of his wounds shortly afterwards.

## \*HALL, H. H.

Harry Herbert Hall (Monotype operator) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He was promoted Sergeant in August 1915, and in the following month he was appointed Company Quartermaster-Sergeant. In 1917 he became a candidate for a commission; he was duly commissioned as 2nd Lieutenant in August of that year and went to France in the following month. He took part in the British advance at Cambrai in November 1917, but on December 2nd he was killed during the German counter-attack. A brother officer writes: "May I be allowed to add an appreciation of him as a soldier and a comrade? He always did his duty without question, and whatever the cost might be, and we had no braver man in the battalion. As a man he was really loved by all who came in contact with him, and he had a happy knack of getting all his men to love him too, and they would have done anything at his bidding."

# \*HALLS, L. H.

Leonard Herbert Halls (Machine-minder) enlisted in February 1915 in the Royal Field Artillery, and proceeded to France in December 1917. He was accidentally killed on March 29th, 1918.

# HARRADINE, H.

Henry Harradine (Art Department) enlisted in the Royal Engineers in June 1916. In February 1917 he joined the 101st Field Coy., R.E. (23rd Division) in France, and in the following November his unit was transferred to the Italian front. In March 1918 he was invalided home from Italy with nephritis.

#### HARRISON, H. H.

Henry Harold Harrison (Bible Department, Fetter Lane), who was only 14 years old on the outbreak of war, enlisted in July 1918 in the 52nd Bn. Royal Sussex Regt. He served in the Army of Occupation in Germany from March 1919 until his demobilisation in October of the same year.

### HERMAN, S.

Samuel Herman (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted immediately on the outbreak of war in the 9th Bn. The Rifle Brigade; he was afterwards transferred to the 10th Bn. He went to France in May 1915, having by that time attained the rank of Corporal, and saw nearly 2 years consecutive service in the field, being twice wounded during that time. He was killed in action on April 15th, 1917.

### HEWITT, H. J.

Henry Joseph Hewitt (Warehouse, Fetter Lane), who had had several years service with the Territorial Force before the war, enlisted in the London Regt. in April 1915; he was later transferred to the Labour Corps. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in September 1915. He served in France in 1916, in Salonika in 1917, and in Palestine and Egypt from the latter part of 1917 until after the armistice.

# ♣HINSON, A. J.

Albert James Hinson (Machine Room) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in January 1917, and after a very short period of training he joined the 7th Bn. in France. He died on July 15th, 1917, of wounds received in action.

# HOBSON, L. J.

Leonard Jack Hobson (Apprentice machine-minder), a Sergeant in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) prior to the outbreak of war, was mobilised with his battalion on August 4th, 1914. He served with the 1/1st Bn. in France from February 1915 to February 1917, when he returned to England as a candidate for a commission. He was in No. 19 Officer Cadet Bn. until June 1917, when he received a commission in the Bedfordshire Regt., and in the following August he joined the 1st Bn. of that regiment in France. He was wounded in

October 1917. He served in Italy from December 1917 until April 1918, when his Division returned to France, and he went through the subsequent fighting which led up to the armistice. He was promoted Lieutenant in December 1918, and was afterwards transferred to the 11th Bn. Suffolk Regt.

## HOLDER, P. W.

Percy William Holder (Compositor) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt., in which he had served for more than 2 years prior to the war. He went to France with the I/Ist Bn. in February 1915 and served there continuously for nearly 2 years, being once slightly wounded during that period. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in February 1916, Corporal in September 1916, and Sergeant in the following November. In December 1916 he returned to England as a candidate for a commission; he entered a Cadet Bn. in the following February, was commissioned in May, and joined the 12th Bn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts. and Derby Regt.) in France in July 1917. He served in France until his demobilisation in November 1919, being promoted Lieutenant in November 1918.

## **⊁**HORN, O. F.

Owen Fairey Horn (Machine Room) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already served for 6 years. He was promoted Corporal in the 2/1st Bn. in 1915. In July 1916 he was transferred to the 1/6th Bn. Gloucestershire Regt. in France. On August 9th, 1917, he was admitted to hospital suffering from the effects of gas-poisoning, and he died two days later.

# HOUGH, J. H.

John Harry Hough (Compositor) was 45 years old at the outbreak of war, but in October 1914 he enlisted in the National Reserve Guards, transferring to the Royal Defence Corps in April 1916. He served successively at the Stowmarket Explosive Works, the Ipswich Wireless Station, and the Dover Coast Defences on guard duties, and in clerical duties at Prisoners of War and Internment Camps at Rothwell, Northamptonshire, and King's Lynn. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in September 1916 and Corporal in March 1918.

#### HOWARD, F.

Frederick Howard (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in October 1916, when nearly 40 years of age, in the Essex Regt. He served in the 2/6th Bn. and the 17th Bn. until March 1918, when he joined the 10th Bn. in France. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in the Lewis gun section in the following June, and was demobilised in January 1919.

#### HOYE, W.

William Hoye (Monotype Department) enlisted in April 1915 and went to France a year later. For the greater part of his service he was in the Machine Gun Corps and he attained the rank of Corporal. He served in France for 3 years, and on one occasion he was gassed.

### HOYE, W. C.

Walter Charles Hoye (Compositor) enlisted in May 1915, at the age of 44, in the Army Service Corps, from which he was afterwards transferred to No. 722 Labour Coy. He served in France from May 1915 until February 1919, when he returned to England for demobilisation. He was promoted Corporal in 1916.

#### HUMBERSTONE, A. H.

Arthur Henry Humberstone (Machine-minder) had served for 28 years in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) prior to the war and had attained the rank of Sergeant. He was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, and during the first year and a half of war he acted as Musketry Instructor to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Bns. of the Cambridgeshire Regt. successively. In February 1916 he went to hospital with hernia and strains and was discharged on medical grounds in the following month. He holds the Territorial Long Service Medal, awarded on the completion of 21 years service.

# HUMBERSTONE, A. P.

Arthur Patrick Humberstone (Apprentice compositor) was mobilised in August 1914 with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he was serving prior to the outbreak of war. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915, and served there continuously until his demobilisation four years later.

#### HUNT, G. H.

George Hamilton Hunt (Machine-minder) enlisted in November 1917 in the Royal Army Service Corps (M.T.), in which he did duty as a heavy lorry driver. He saw 6 months service in France, and was wounded in July 1918.

# HUNTLEA, W.

Walter Huntlea (Machine Room) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. in November 1914. He went to France in May 1916, and in the following November he was so severely wounded that his right leg had to be amputated. He obtained his discharge in July 1918.

## HUSTWITT, C. B.

Claude Bernard Hustwitt (Bible Department, Fetter Lane), who had had 5 years service with the Territorial Force (City of London Rifles) prior to the war, attested in December 1915 and was called up in August 1916. He was posted to the 3rd Bn. The Buffs (E. Kent Regt.), and was afterwards transferred to the 4th Bn. Royal Fusiliers; he was ultimately attached to the 35th Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C. He served in France from December 1916 until his demobilisation in January 1919.

# HYDE, H. W.

Henry William Hyde (Compositor), a Territorial of more than 20 years standing, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. at the outbreak of war. He was appointed Company Sergeant-Major in January 1915, and went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in the following month. On his return to England in June 1915 he was appointed Acting Regimental Sergeant-Major of the 4/1st Bn., and in 1917 he became Regimental Sergeant-Major of the 10th West Riding Volunteer Bn. at Wakefield. He was demobilised in February 1920.

# IMPEY, E. A.

Ernest Alfred Impey (Compositor) enlisted in October 1916 in the 2/6th Bn. Suffolk Regt., from which he was afterwards transferred to the Labour Corps (No. 496 Agricultural Employment Coy.). He was demobilised in January 1919.

## **♣**JAGGARD, C.

Charles Jaggard (Apprentice machine-minder) enlisted in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt. in October 1915. Early in 1916 he joined the 1/5th Bn. King's (Liverpool) Regt. in France, where he served for one year and 8 months. He was killed in action on September 17th, 1917.

## \*JONES, H. W.

Harry William Jones (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) enlisted in July 1916 in the Rifle Brigade; he was afterwards transferred successively to the Middlesex Regt., the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regt.), and the Royal Irish Rifles. He went to France in July 1917, and after more than a year's active service in the field he died on August 21st, 1918, at No. 62 Casualty Clearing Station of wounds received in action.

### **♣**KILLIP, W.

William Killip (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in September 1914 in the 5th Bn. City of London Regt. (London Rifle Brigade). He went to France with his unit in March 1915 and in the following May he was killed in action.

# KING, A. H. G.

Alfred Henry George King (Machine Room) enlisted in June 1916 in the 1/4th Bn. Suffolk Regt.; he was later transferred successively to the 11th and 2nd Bns. of the same regiment. He went to France in December 1916 and served there continuously until November 1918. He was wounded in June 1917 and again in March 1918; and on two occasions he became a casualty from gas-shelling, in August and October 1918.

# ₩KING, V. T.

Victor Thomas King (Apprentice compositor), who was serving in the Territorial Force prior to the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and saw 16 months continuous service in the field. He was killed in action at Givenchy on June 9th, 1916. His Company Commander writes that he had the greatest respect and admiration for his splendid bravery under the most adverse circumstances.

#### KINGSTON, C. W.

Cedric William Kingston (Town Department, Fetter Lane), who was serving in the Territorial Force prior to the war, was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the 17th London Bty., R.F.A.; he was afterwards transferred to the 10th Mountain Howitzer Bty. He was promoted Bombardier in April 1915, Corporal in June 1916, and Quartermaster-Sergeant in February 1918. He served in France from June to December 1916, and in Salonika from December 1916 to June 1917, when he was transferred to Egypt. He took part in Lord Allenby's final campaign in Palestine and Syria, was one of the advance party at the fall of Jerusalem, and was present at the fall of Beersheba, Gaza, and Nablus. He was demobilised in May 1919.

### LANDER, G.

George Lander (Machine-minder) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. in September 1914; he was afterwards transferred to the Suffolk Regt. He went to France in July 1915 and served there until 1918. He was once wounded.

## LANGFORD, W. S.

Walter Sidney Langford (Warehouse) enlisted in November 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Regt.

# LAUGHTON, T.

Tom Laughton (Warehouse) enlisted in August 1916, at the age of 41, in the Cambridgeshire Volunteer Force, from which he transferred in May 1918 to the Royal Army Medical Corps. He served successively at Blackpool, Fargo Military Hospital, and on Salisbury Plain.

### LAVEL, H.

Harry Lavel (Country Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in October 1914 in the Royal Field Artillery, serving successively in the 2nd Divisional Ammunition Column, 48th Bty., R.F.A., and Y2 Trench Mortar Bty. He was promoted Bombardier in January 1915, Corporal in June 1918, and Sergeant in January 1919. He served for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years in England as instructor, for 2 years in France, and for 6 months in the Army of Occupation. He was once wounded.

#### ♣LEMMON, B. D.

Bertram Denis Lemmon (Art Department) enlisted in the Manchester Regt. in February 1916 and went to France in the following January. On April 23rd, 1917, he was killed in action during the Battle of Arras, in which his battalion took part with great distinction, in spite of heavy losses.

## LILLEY, A.

Albert Lilley (Machine Room), being in the Territorial Force prior to the war, was mobilised on August 4th, 1914. He served successively in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regt.), 2/4th Bn. Cameron Highlanders, and Royal Army Medical Corps. He went to France in September 1918 and served there until the following April, when he returned to England for demobilisation.

### LILLEY, G.

George Lilley (Machine Room), having served in the Territorial Force since January 1913, was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. In December 1917 he joined the 5th (Pioneer) Bn. Northamptonshire Regt. in France, where he served until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# LING, H.

Horace Ling (Compositor) was over military age at the outbreak of war. He enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps in June 1918 and served at the Blackpool Depôt until his demobilisation in January 1919.

## LUDMAN, E. F.

Ernest Frederick Ludman (Compositor) enlisted in the Royal Field Artillery in August 1916. In the following December he went to France, where he remained until his demobilisation in June 1919, serving successively in the 33rd Bde. (8th Division), 165th Bde. (31st Division), and 317th Bde. (63rd Royal Naval Division). He was wounded on May 4th, 1918.

### ♣MANN, G. H.

George Henry Mann (Compositor) was serving prior to the outbreak of war in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had attained the rank of Corporal. He was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, was promoted Lance-Sergeant on September 10th, and Sergeant in the following December. In February 1915 he proceeded to France with the 1/1st Bn., but was invalided home in October 1917, after more than 2\frac{1}{2} years service in the field. In the following March he returned to France on transfer to the 2nd Bn. South Staffordshire Regt. He was awarded the Military Medal for "taking a platoon into action on August 23rd and 24th, 1918, in the absence of an officer, and displaying great courage and leadership, without any regard for his own personal safety." On September 29th, 1918, he was wounded in the spine; he died in an Ambulance Train two days later and was buried in Rouen Military Cemetery.

### MANN, W. F.

Walter Francis Mann (Apprentice compositor), already serving in the Territorial Force at the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915. In July 1916 he was severely wounded in the skull, and after several months in hospital he was discharged from the service on medical grounds in the following November.

# MANSFIELD, H.

Herbert Mansfield (Apprentice machine-minder), having served in the Territorial Force for more than 6 years prior to the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in April 1917, and in the following month he joined the Norfolk Regt. in France. In August 1917 he was promoted Corporal. He was invalided home in September 1918 suffering from dysentery, and was discharged on medical grounds in the following December.

#### MANSFIELD, W. A.

William Alfred Mansfield (Machine-minder) attested in November 1915, at the age of 39, but he was not called up until August 1918, when he was drafted into the Royal Air Force. He served at No. 1 Stores Depôt, and was promoted Corporal in October 1918.

## MARRIOTT, C. T. A.

Charles Thomas Austin Marriott (Monotype operator) enlisted in the Royal Field Artillery in December 1915. He joined the 17th Bde. (29th Division) in France in April 1917, but was invalided home suffering from trench fever in the following August. In March 1918 he returned to France, to the 170th Bde. (31st Division), and served there until his demobilisation in January 1919. Whilst in England he served with the 4th and 6th Reserve Bns. and at the Signalling Training Centre, Swanage.

### MARSHALL, R. C.

Richard Charles Marshall (Traveller, Fetter Lane) attested in March 1916, at the age of 37, and was called up in the following September. He joined the Sussex Yeomanry, which was later dismounted and formed into the 16th Bn. Royal Sussex Regt., and he served as a company stretcher-bearer. He went to Egypt in January 1917 and he served throughout Lord Allenby's campaign in Palestine, taking part in the second attack on Gaza and the taking of Beersheba, Jerusalem, and Nablus. In April 1918 his unit was transferred to France, where he took part in the final advance and remained until his demobilisation in January 1919.

# MARTIN, T. H.

Tom Harry Martin (Compositor) enlisted in December 1915 in the 2/1st Huntingdonshire Cyclist Bn. In July 1917 he joined the Nelson Bn., 63rd (Royal Naval) Division, in France, where he served until January 1918, when he was invalided home with trench fever and frost-bite. He was transferred to the Hawke Bn., R.N.D., in September 1918, and returned to France two months later, remaining there until February 1919, when he was sent home for demobilisation.

#### MASON, G.

George Mason (Compositor) enlisted in July 1917 in the Royal Garrison Artillery. He served for 10 months in the Sussex R.G.A. at Dover, and in September 1918 he was transferred to 120 Siege Battery in France. He was afterwards attached to 66th Bde. H.Q., and was promoted Lance-Bombardier in January 1919. He served for 3 months in the Army of Occupation in Germany, during which time he was a valuable member of a Divisional Concert Party.

## MELBOURNE, H. V.

Harry Victor Melbourne (Apprentice compositor), after serving for 7 months in H.M. Coastguard Station, enlisted in the Royal Field Artillery in October 1915. He joined the Expeditionary Force in France in February 1916, but was invalided home in the following June. He was afterwards transferred to the Anti-Aircraft Section of the Royal Garrison Artillery.

### MILLMAN, F.

Frederick Millman (Compositor) enlisted in December 1915 in the 36th Bn. Royal Fusiliers. He went to France in June 1916, and was promoted Lance-Corporal in the same month. He was invalided home in January 1917, and was transferred to the Labour Corps in the following June. In May 1918 he was transferred to the 4th Bn. Monmouthshire Regt., with which he served on the East Coast until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# MINTER, H.

Harry Minter (Warehouse), though only 17½ years old on the outbreak of war, had already joined the Territorial Force, and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915, was wounded in 1916, but returned to his battalion after a short period in hospital. In the winter of 1917 he was invalided home with "trench foot" and was shortly afterwards promoted to the temporary rank of Lance-Corporal while on home service. He returned to France in January 1918 and was reported missing on March 24th. He is now presumed to have been killed in action.

#### MOORE, H.

Henry Moore (Compositor) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.) in August 1915. He served throughout the war as clerk and French interpreter in the Registrar's office at the 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge.

## MORLEY, A. E.

Alfred Ernest Morley (Compositor) served from September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. with the rank of Sergeant-Instructor.

### MOUEL, J.

John Mouel (Machine Room) enlisted in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in September 1914. He went with his battalion to France in February 1915, and served with it continuously as a stretcher-bearer until after the armistice.

### MOUEL, P. C.

Percy Claude Mouel (Warehouse) enlisted in July 1915 in the Royal Engineers, and served with the 203rd Field Company.

# MUGGLETON, P. G.

Percy George Muggleton (Foundry) enlisted in the Middlesex Regt. in May 1917. He was afterwards transferred to the Manchester Regt. (T.F.), and he served 15 months with the 2/5th and 1/5th Bns. in France.

# MURFET, B. J.

Bertie Julius Murfet (Warehouse) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) and went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915. He was wounded in September 1915 and sent to hospital in England. In the following May he returned to France on transfer to the 11th Bn. Essex Regt. and saw 2 more years service in the field, being promoted Lance-Corporal in 1917. In May 1918 he was wounded a second time and in the following October he was discharged on medical grounds.

# NEWMAN, B.

Bertram Newman (Monotype operator) was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., in which he had served for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years before the war. He was promoted Corporal in the following November. In February 1915 he proceeded to France, but was invalided home a few months later suffering from shell-shock. On his recovery he was transferred to the Suffolk Regt., and, being placed in a low medical category, he was retained as a Drill Instructor at home. He was promoted Sergeant in November 1916 and Company Sergeant-Major in March 1917.

### NEWMAN, W.

William Newman (Machine Room) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already had more than 2 years service. He was afterwards transferred to the Royal Sussex Regt. He went to France in July 1916 and was wounded three times, in October and November 1916 and September 1917, being invalided home on the last occasion. He was demobilised in January 1919.

# NIGHTINGALE, J.

Joe Nightingale (Compositor) enlisted in June 1916 in the Suffolk Regt. In the following September he joined the 2nd Bn. Essex Regt. in France, where he served until October 1917. He was then transferred to a Home Service Employment Coy., being 40 years of age at the time, and he was demobilised in February 1919.

# NOBBS, F. S.

Francis Samuel Nobbs (Warehouse) was in the Territorial Force before the war and was mobilised with the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. He attained the rank of Corporal.

# NORRIS, G.

George Norris (Apprentice compositor), who was only 14 years old when war broke out, enlisted in June 1918 in the 52nd Bn. King's Royal Rifle Corps. In March 1919 he was transferred to the 18th Bn. K.R.R.C. for duty in Germany with the Army of Occupation.

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#### NORRIS, J. T.

John Thomas Norris (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in January 1916. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in April 1916 and Corporal in the following May, and for some months he acted as Instructor in Physical Training and Bayonet Fighting. In March 1917 he was transferred to the 21st Bn. The Rifle Brigade (T.F.) and sailed for Egypt; during the voyage his ship was torpedoed in the Aegean Sea. He was afterwards transferred to the 2/154th Indian Infantry Regt., and for 7 months he did duty as Transport Instructor in the Indian Army, all the last 2 years of his service being spent in Egypt and Palestine.

# \*NORTHFIELD, F.

Frank Northfield (Foundry) joined the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) immediately on the outbreak of war and went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915. After serving in the field throughout the whole of the remainder of the war without mishap, he succumbed to valvular disease of the heart shortly after the armistice, and died at No. 4 Canadian Casualty Clearing Station, Valenciennes, on November 17th, 1918.

# \*NORTHFIELD, J. W.

James William Northfield (Monotype operator), having already seen 3 years service in the Territorial Force, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and in the following April he was wounded, though not seriously. He was killed in action on September 23rd, 1916. His Regimental Chaplain wrote in glowing terms of the universal esteem in which he was held by all ranks of the Cambridgeshire Regt.

# NORTHFIELD, W. J.

William John Northfield (Monotype operator) enlisted in the Royal Engineers in October 1916 and served with the Inland Water Transport throughout the remainder of the war; he was demobilised in December 1919.

#### NORTON, C. J.

Charles James Norton (Foundry) enlisted in September 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps. He served 3 years in France as a nursing orderly with the 134th Field Ambulance and 19th Field Ambulance successively.

## NUNN, S. J.

Sidney James Nunn (Reader), who had served more than 2 years in the Territorial Force before the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in December 1915. His low medical category prevented him from going overseas, and in May 1916 he was discharged.

### OAKMAN, F. W.

Frank Walter Oakman (Compositor) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in June 1916. He served successively in the 3rd and 2nd Bns. of the Suffolk Regt., in the 2/5th Bn. Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), and in the 2/1st Ayrshire Yeomanry. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1917 and Corporal in the following July. He was stationed in England for the first 14 months of his service, and in Ireland from August 1917 until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# PALMER, F. J.

Frederick John Palmer (Counting-house) joined the 25th Training Reserve Bn. in February 1917.

# \*PARFETT, F. J.

Frederick John Parfett (Town Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in September 1916 in the Loyal North Lancashire Regt. In February 1917 he went to France on posting to the I/6th Bn., with which he saw nearly 2 years active service in the field. He was severely wounded on October 8th, 1918, and he died of his wounds a fortnight later.

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#### PARSONS, H. A.

Henry Arthur Parsons (Secretary's Department) enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps in January 1918, his low medical category having prevented his services being called upon until then. He was employed on the defence of London until the armistice, and was demobilised in February 1919.

## PARSONS, V. J. H.

Victor John Horace Parsons (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in November 1914. He went to France in July 1915 and after nearly 2 years continuous service in the field was invalided home in March 1917. He returned to France in January 1918 and served there till the end of the war, being mentioned in despatches.

#### PATMAN, C. F.

Cecil Frederick Patman (Warehouse) was only 14 years old on the outbreak of war. He enlisted in May 1918 in the Middlesex Regt., serving in the 53rd, 52nd, and 5th Bns. Early in the following year he went to hospital with pneumonia, and in April 1919 he was discharged from the service.

# PAULEY, H. A.

Harry Alma Pauley (Warehouse) was only 14 years old on the outbreak of war. He enlisted in June 1918 in the 53rd Bn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regt.), was later transferred to the 52nd Bn., and was demobilised in January 1919.

## PEARCE, E. A.

Edward Arthur Pearce (Compositor) was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the Cambridgeshire Regt., in which he had been serving prior to the war. He went to France with the I/Ist Bn. in February 1915, was mentioned in despatches four months later, and was awarded the Military Medal in the following year. He was discharged as time-expired in May 1916, but he re-enlisted in the following July and was posted to the 1st (Res.) Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., from which he was afterwards attached to the 52nd Bn. Leicestershire Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in November 1916, Corporal in February 1917, and Lance-Sergeant in November 1918.

#### PEARSON, W. J.

Walter James Pearson (Town Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in May 1915 in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; he qualified as Able Seaman in June 1915 and as Leading Seaman in the following July. In August 1915 he was drafted to H.M.S. Zealandia, in the Grand Fleet, which after some months of patrol work in the North Sea proceeded to the Dardanelles and took part in the evacuation. He was afterwards transferred to H.M.S. Endeavour, which was engaged mainly in combating the U-boat activities in the Mediterranean during the latter part of the war, and was the second boat to pass through the Dardanelles on November 10th, 1918. He was demobilised in May 1919.

## PEART, N. B.

Noel Brinklow Peart (Bible Department, Fetter Lane), who had seen very considerable Volunteer and Territorial service before the war, was a member of the British Red Cross Society on the outbreak of war. In October 1914 he was attached to the Princess Club Hospital, Bermondsey, where for 2 years he worked in the X-ray department. In November 1916 he was specially enlisted in the R.A.M.C. as a qualified skiagraphist, and was posted as X-ray operator to No. 56 General Hospital, Etaples. After more than a year's service in France he was sent home with a view to having some of his fingers, which had been injured by the effects of the X-rays, removed; fortunately, however, this course did not prove necessary. He was demobilised in November 1918.

## \*PHILLIPS, W. G. E.

William George Ellis Phillips (Reader) enlisted in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve soon after the outbreak of war. He was taken prisoner at Antwerp, and he died at Aachen, in Germany, on Christmas Eve 1914.

## PHYPERS, W.

Wilfred Phypers (Counting-house) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1915, Corporal in May 1915, and Sergeant in the following September. In April 1916 he was

attached to the 1st Army Grenade School as Sergt.-Instructor, and in the following August he became Sergt.-Instructor and Quartermaster-Sergeant at the Northern Army Bombing School. He was appointed Company Quartermaster-Sergeant in October 1916. In the following year he became a candidate for a commission, and was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the Lincolnshire Regt. in May. He went to France in July 1917 and served there until April 1918, when he was wounded. He was in hospital in England until February 1919, being promoted Lieutenant in the previous November, and on recovery he served for 3 months in Ireland before he was eventually demobilised in April 1919.

### PIGGOTT, C. W.

Cyril Warboys Piggott (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in November 1914 in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.). He served overseas for 3½ years, was promoted Corporal in 1917, and was demobilised in February 1919.

# PIGGOTT, H. W.

Harold Wyclif Piggott (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.) in June 1915, at the age of 17. He served at the 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, until his demobilisation in February 1919. He was promoted Corporal in June 1917.

# PIGGOTT, W. C.

William Christopher Piggott (Reader) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in October 1916 and served for two months at the Regimental Depôt. In December 1916 he was transferred to the Army Pay Corps, in which he served until March 1918, being promoted Lance-Corporal in June 1917 and Corporal in the following October. Transferring to the Royal Garrison Artillery in March 1918, after a period of service spent on coast defence, he joined 114 Siege Battery in France in July 1918 and remained with that unit until his demobilisation in January 1919.

# PILSWORTH, C.

Charles Pilsworth (Warehouse) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) immediately on the outbreak of war. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915, was wounded slightly in October 1916, and was wounded again more seriously in February 1917 and sent to hospital in England. One year later he returned to France and served there for the remainder of the war, and until his demobilisation in April 1919. He was awarded the Military Medal in 1918.

#### PITT, F. S.

Frank Stanley Pitt (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) enlisted in January 1916 in the King's Royal Rifle Corps. He went to France in July 1916, and during his service there he became a qualified Lewis gunner. He was wounded at Le Catelet on October 3rd, 1918, during the British advance, and was admitted to a Base hospital. He afterwards served in the Army of Occupation in Germany.

## PLEASANCE, E. H.

Edward Hall Pleasance (Compositor) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in September 1914. After more than 2 years service in the ranks he became a candidate for a commission, and was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the Lincolnshire Regt. in May 1917. In the following July he was posted to the 1/5th Bn. in France, where he served until his demobilisation in March 1919. He was promoted Lieutenant in November 1918.

# RACKHAM, W. T.

William Thomas Rackham (Monotype operator) enlisted in the Labour Corps in February 1917. In the following month he was promoted Corporal and was posted to the 131st Coy. in France. In June 1917 he was wounded and invalided home. On his recovery he was transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, and he served as Fire Expert at No. 1 Training Depôt Station, Stamford, from November 1917 until his demobilisation early in 1919.

## RANSOM, D.

Donald Ransom (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in the 4th (Res.) Bn. The Buffs (E. Kent Regt.) in June 1918, on reaching military age. He was afterwards posted to the 52nd Bn. Royal Sussex Regt. and served in the Army of Occupation in Germany from March to August 1919.

# READY, A. W.

Albert William Ready (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in November 1915 in the Royal Flying Corps (Wireless Section). He went to France in August 1916 and served there continuously until his demobilisation in February 1919, during which time he was attached to various artillery units, from 18-pdrs. to 9.2 in. railway guns. He was appointed 1st Class Air Mechanic in February 1917, Acting Corporal in March 1918, and was promoted substantive Corporal in the following June. He was awarded the Military Medal in July 1918.

# REYNOLDS, E. A.

Ernest Arthur Reynolds (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in April 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.). From August 1916 until July 1918 he served in Macedonia in a unit which was attached to the Serbian Army. In November 1918 he was attached to No. 1 Native Labour General Hospital in France, where he remained until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# RICH, F. R.

Frederick Robert Rich (Warehouse) enlisted in July 1916, although 40 years of age, in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). A year later he was posted to the 1/8th Bn. Lancashire Fusiliers in France, where he served until his demobilisation in January 1919. During the latter part of this period he was transferred to the Labour Corps and served in No. 859 Area Employment Coy.

#### RICK, F. W.

Frank William Rick (Bible Department, Fetter Lane) had joined the Territorial Force early in 1914, and was mobilised with the 17th London Regt. on the outbreak of war; he was afterwards transferred to the West Kent Yeomanry. Three years of his service were spent as an anti-aircraft gunner on the East coast and in work on coast defence systems. He was promoted Lance-Corporal December 1916 and was discharged in July 1918.

### ROBERTS, S. C.

Sydney Castle Roberts (Assistant Secretary to the Syndics) joined the Cambridge University O.T.C. for preliminary training shortly after the outbreak of war. In October 1915 he was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the 4th Bn. Suffolk Regt. and seconded to the 64th Provisional Bn. (14th Suffolks), which was then employed on East coast defence. In July 1917 he was promoted Lieutenant and joined the 4th Bn. Suffolk Regt. in France, and in the following September he was wounded at Polygon Wood during the Third Battle of Ypres. After nearly a year in hospital, he was posted to the staff of No. 2 Officer Cadet Bn., Cambridge, in June 1918, but two months later while on duty he had an accident which renewed the trouble caused by his wound and necessitated his returning to hospital. He was discharged on medical grounds in February 1919.

# ROBINSON, J. W.

James White Robinson (Compositor) was over 40 years of age on the outbreak of war, but in October 1914 he enlisted in the Royal Defence Corps, in which he was employed on guard duties and coast defence. He was later transferred to the 5th Bn. Middlesex Regt., and in July 1918 he was transferred to the Labour Corps and posted to No. 107 Labour Company in France, where he served until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# ROUND, C. J.

Charles James Round (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in July 1916 in the 3/13th London Regiment (Kensington Bn.), in which he was employed as Signalling Instructor and

held the temporary appointment of Lance-Corporal. He went to France in July 1917 on transfer to the 2nd Bn. King's Royal Rifle Corps, with which he served until his return to England for demobilisation in January 1919.

#### RUARK, C. C.

Cornelius Clement Ruark (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) enlisted in March 1915 in the Royal Flying Corps, and was duly transferred to the Royal Air Force on its formation. In January 1916 he went to France, where he served first with No. 20 Squadron and afterwards with No. 47 Kite Balloon Section, until he returned for demobilisation in March 1919. Being graded 1st Class Air Mechanic in July 1915, he was promoted Corporal in July 1916, Sergeant in February 1918, and Acting Flight Sergeant in the following December. He was slightly gassed at St Julien (in the Ypres salient) in March 1918.

#### RULE, A. F.

Arthur Frederick Rule (Counting-house) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in May 1916; he was afterwards transferred to the Bedfordshire Regt. He went to France in August 1916 and returned home wounded in the following month. In June 1917 he returned to France and for the next 16 months he served continuously there and in Italy, being promoted Lance-Corporal in July 1917. He was wounded a second time in October 1918 and was demobilised in the following December. \*\*FRULE, W. A.

William Alfred Rule (Compositor) enlisted in February 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps and was posted to the 54th East Anglian Casualty Clearing Station. He was on the transport Royal Edward, which was torpedoed shortly after leaving Alexandria on its way to Gallipoli, and was drowned on August 13th, 1915.

# RUMSEY, J. D.

John Dean Rumsey (Composing Department) was 48 years old on the outbreak of war and had already had many years service both as a Volunteer and as a Territorial. In January 1915 he joined the Royal Defence Corps, and was employed on guard duties until April 1918, when he was transferred to the Royal Air Force. He was demobilised in February 1919.

#### RUSSELL, A. R.

Alfred Richard Russell (Art Department) enlisted in January 1916 in the Suffolk Regt., in which he served in the 11th and 3rd Bns.; he afterwards served in the 1st and 6th Bns. of the Leinster Regt. He saw 9 months service in Salonika and 18 months in Palestine and Egypt, being wounded in April 1918 in Palestine. He was demobilised in March 1919.

#### SADLER, F. H. W.

Francis Henry William Sadler (Warehouse) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps in July 1915, at the age of 15. After 2½ years service at the 1st Eastern General and Barnwell Military Hospitals, Cambridge, he was transferred to No. 28 Casualty Clearing Station, in which he served at Salonika and in Turkey from May 1918 until his demobilisation in September 1919.

# SALES, W. J.

William James Sales (Compositor) enlisted in May 1915, at the age of 40, in the Royal Army Service Corps, and within three weeks of joining the forces he was posted overseas. He returned in July 1919, having served in France for 4 years and 2 months, first with the 12th Labour Coy., R.A.S.C., and afterwards with the Headquarters of No. 2 Labour Group. He was appointed Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant in May 1917, and he was awarded the Meritorious Service Medal in October 1919, shortly before his demobilisation.

#### SANDERSON, E. R.

Edward Rowell Sanderson (Art Department) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He went with the 1/1st Bn. to France in February 1915 and served there until May 1916, when he was invalided home. He was afterwards transferred to the 9th Bn. Northamptonshire Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in 1917, and was demobilised in January 1919.

#### SAUNDERS, H. C.

Harold Charles Saunders (Apprentice compositor) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already had  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years service. In February 1915, being then a Lance-Corporal in the signal section, he went with the 1/1st Bn. to France, where he saw more than 3 years continuous service in the field. He was awarded the Military Medal for conspicuous gallantry at Tower Hamlets on September 26th, 1917, during the Third Battle of Ypres. In the following spring he was serving with the 39th Division during the German offensive and was taken prisoner at Péronne on March 26th, 1918. He was repatriated in the following December.

## \*SEARLE, W. J.

William Joseph Searle (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) enlisted in October 1916 in the 21st County of London Regt. He went to France in May 1917 and had seen nearly a year's active service in the field before he was wounded and taken prisoner during the German advance on March 23rd, 1918. A report was received that he died of his wounds a month later.

# SEWELL, A. H.

Arthur Horace Sewell (Machine-minder) attested in December 1915, and was called up in August 1916 and posted to the Royal Garrison Artillery. In the following January he joined 242 Siege Bty., R.G.A., in France, where he served until his demobilisation in February 1919. He was promoted Bombardier in April 1917, and in the following July he was slightly gassed.

#### SEWELL, A. R.

Alfred Randolph Sewell (Foundry) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already had nearly a year's service. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and was severely wounded in the following May. After his recovery he was transferred, under Army Regulations, to work on Munitions.

#### SEWELL, C. T.

Charles Thomas Sewell (Compositor) enlisted in the 3rd Bn. Norfolk Regt. in July 1916, at the age of 41. He was relegated to the Army Reserve in the following September and was discharged in March 1919.

#### SEWELL, T. H.

Thomas Henry Sewell (Monotype operator) was serving in the Territorial Force when war was declared and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in September 1915, and in October 1916 he joined the British Expeditionary Force. In August 1917 he was invalided home after an operation. He was afterwards transferred to the Cambs. and Suffolk (Res.) Bn., and was promoted Corporal in June 1918.

### SEXTON, E. W.

Ernest Walter Sexton (Monotype operator) attested in December 1915 and was called up in January 1918 in the Royal Flying Corps (merged in the Royal Air Force in the following April). He served successively in No. 101 Sqdn. and No. 46 Sqdn., and was in France from March to October 1918, when he was injured. He was demobilised in May 1919.

#### SHADBOLT, F. W.

Frederick William Shadbolt (Compositor) was 43 years old on the outbreak of war, but in August 1918 he enlisted in the Royal Army Service Corps (M.T.). He served at various depôts until his demobilisation in January 1919.

### SHAW, R. P.

Robert Paul Shaw (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps (T.F.) in August 1915 at the age of 16. He served at the 1st London General Hospital, on the Dover Embarkation Staff, and at the Blackpool Depôt, and was demobilised in March 1919.

## SILK, W. E. F.

William Ernest Frederick Silk (Office) was only 13 years old on the outbreak of war. He joined the Royal Navy in July 1917, and served successively on H.M.S. Hecla, Silvio, Inconstant, and Carysfort. He was appointed Boy Telegraphist in November 1917, Ordinary Telegraphist in November 1918, and was promoted Telegraphist in September 1919. He was still in the service at the time of writing.

# #SIMCO, J. G.

James George Simco (Town Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in July 1916 in the Middlesex Regt., and went to France only 4 months later, on transfer to the Royal Fusiliers. He was killed in action on May 1st, 1917. His Company Commander wrote: "He was a brave soldier and one who could ill be spared from the Battalion, always cheerful and happy. We have lost a good soldier and a good comrade."

# SIMMONDS, A. B.

Arthur Bevan Simmonds (Art Department) enlisted in May 1915 in the 2/1st Suffolk Yeomanry; he was afterwards transferred successively to the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt., 6th Bn. Royal Munster Fusiliers, and the Labour Corps. He saw active service in Salonika, Egypt, and Palestine, and was wounded in March 1918.

# SIMMONS, F.

Frank Simmons (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted within a few weeks of the outbreak of war in the 17th County of London Regt. He went to France in March 1915 and was wounded during the Battle of Loos, in the following September, but did not return home. He was again wounded on November 27th, 1917, during the Cambrai operations, and was this time sent to hospital in England. He was demobilised in March 1919.

# SIVELL, F. A.

Frank Augustine Sivell (Compositor) enlisted in June 1917 in the Royal Flying Corps and was duly transferred to the Royal Air Force on its formation on April 1st, 1918. After

10 months service at Supply Depôts in England and Scotland he was posted to No. 5 Aircraft Park in France, and was afterwards attached to H.Q., R.A.F. in the Field. He served in France and Belgium for nearly a year in all.

## SLATER, H.

Harry Slater (Compositor) enlisted in November 1916 in the Royal Naval Division. In January 1917 he was appointed Able Seaman and drafted to the British Expeditionary Force. He was severely wounded in the following April and sent to hospital in England. He was demobilised in February 1919.

## SLATER, W. E.

William Ebenezer Slater (Advertisement Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in December 1915 in the Royal Flying Corps and was duly transferred to the Royal Air Force on its formation. He was appointed 2nd Class Air Mechanic in January 1916. In March 1918 he went to a Cadet unit, and after a course of instruction in flying he qualified for a pilot's certificate in November 1918. He was granted a commission as Honorary 2nd Lieutenant after the armistice and was demobilised in February 1919.

#### SMART, P.

Percy Smart (Machine Room) enlisted on the outbreak of war in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.); he was afterwards transferred to the King's (Liverpool Regt.), in which he served in the 9th and 12th Bns. successively. He was promoted Lance-Corporal before the end of 1914, Corporal in 1915, Sergeant in 1916, and was appointed Company Sergeant-Major in the same year. In August 1917 he went to France, and served there until he was invalided home with dysentery in September 1918.

## SMITH, C.

Charles Smith (Compositor) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. and was afterwards transferred to the Royal Sussex Regt. He was promoted Corporal in June 1916 and in the following month he went to France. In November 1916 he was wounded, but after a short period in hospital he returned to the fighting line in the following March, and was wounded a second time on July 31st, 1917. In February 1918 he went overseas for the third time, and remained in France until his demobilisation in February 1919.

### SMITH, J. H.

James Hurst Smith (Country Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in July 1915 in the Royal Army Medical Corps. He served successively in the 1st London General Hospital, 14th Field Ambulance, No. 5 General Hospital, No. 30 General Hospital (Calais), and No. 4 General Hospital (Dunkerque), and was in France from May 1917 until his demobilisation in July 1919. He was slightly gassed in October 1917.

### SOUTH, R.

Roland South (Counting-house) enlisted in September 1914 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). After 2 years service in the signal section of the 1/1st Bn. he was transferred to the Royal Engineers (Signals) in June 1916, and was attached to 1st Army H.Q. as Interpreter in the Intelligence Branch of the H.Q. Staff. He was in France from June 1915 until his demobilisation in February 1919.

# **ASPILLER, H. S.**

Herbert Septimus Spiller (Bible Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in August 1916 in the 9th County of London Regt. (Queen Victoria's Rifles). He was promoted Lance-Corporal in the following October. In March 1917 he went to France, and after one month at the Base he joined his unit in the line; it was then in the 56th Division. He was killed on August 16th, 1917, on his way down the line when already wounded. His Commanding Officer paid a tribute to his soldierly qualities.

## STANFORD, C.

Charles Stanford (Store Room) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already been serving for some time. In February 1915 he was discharged as medically unfit, but in July 1917 he rejoined the Army, enlisting in the Royal Army Medical Corps. He served in France with the 88th Field Ambulance from April 1918 until his demobilisation in May 1919.

#### STANFORD, R. C.

Robert Charles Stanford (Plate Room) enlisted in the Suffolk Regt. in November 1915. He was soon afterwards transferred to the Army Ordnance Corps, and he served at the Ordnance Depôt at Calais from September 1916 to March 1917. He was then transferred to the Devonshire Regt., in which he served on the Somme front and in the Third Battle of Ypres in 1917. Later on he was yet again transferred to the Labour Corps, and with No. 152 Labour Coy. took part in the final advance from Bullecourt to Mons just before the armistice.

## ♣STEVENS, A. W.

Arthur William Stevens (Machine-minder) enlisted in January 1917 in the Bedfordshire Regt. After 18 months service in France he died on September 27th, 1918, of wounds received in action.

### STEVENSON, W. F.

William Frederick Stevenson (Country Department, Fetter Lane), being only 16 years old on the outbreak of war, enlisted in February 1917 in the Seaforth Highlanders; he served later in the Scottish Rifles and the King's Own Scottish Borderers. He went to France in August 1917, and in the following April he was wounded but did not return to England. He was more seriously wounded in August 1918 and was sent to hospital in England; he was demobilised in January 1919.

#### STRETCH, H. P.

Harold Percy Stretch (Apprentice compositor) was mobilised on August 4th, 1914, with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had been serving prior to the war. In January 1915 he had to undergo an operation, which resulted in his being relegated to the 2nd Line Bn. and pronounced unfit for foreign service for a year and a half. In September 1916 he was posted to the 4th Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers in France, where he served until his demobilisation in March 1919. He was wounded in November 1916 during the operations on the Somme.

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#### **★**STUBBINGS, G. F.

George Frank Stubbings (Apprentice compositor), who had first enlisted in the Territorial Force in March 1912, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915, but was invalided home in the following December. He returned to France in July 1918, being posted to the 11th Bn. Suffolk Regt., and was killed in action on October 24th, 1918.

### STUBBINGS, H. H.

Herbert Hazzard Stubbings (Counting-house) enlisted in the Royal Army Ordnance Corps in July 1917 and joined the Expeditionary Force forthwith. He remained in France until May 1919, shortly before his demobilisation.

#### SUART, A. G.

Arthur Goodwin Suart (Subscription Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in December 1915 in the 3/3rd London Brigade, Royal Field Artillery (T.F.). He qualified as 1st Class Gunner in July 1916 and was drafted to France, where he was attached to the Lahore Divisional Artillery and served in the front line in a Trench Mortar Battery. He took part in the taking of Vimy Ridge in April 1917, but in the following September he was transferred to the R.G.A. and posted to an Anti-Aircraft Battery. He was gassed and wounded at Lièvin on July 1st, 1918, and in the following November he was discharged as permanently unfit for military service.

# SYMONDS, A. L.

Ambrose Linton Symonds (Apprentice compositor) was mobilised on the outbreak of war with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), in which he had already had 2 years service. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and was severely wounded exactly a month later. He was discharged as medically unfit in the following July.

# TAYLOR, E. A.

Ernest Alfred Taylor (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted within a month of the outbreak of war in the Royal Army

Medical Corps (T.F.). After some months of training with the 4th London Field Ambulance, in the 47th (London) Division, he went to France with his unit in March 1915. He was invalided home in April 1917 with trench fever, and was employed on clerical work at the Blackpool Depôt from the following July until the armistice, being promoted Lance-Corporal in October 1918. He was discharged from the service with valvular disease of the heart in January 1919.

# TAYLOR, W. J.

William Joseph Taylor (Establishment Staff) had served in the Territorial Force for a year prior to the outbreak of war. He was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. in August 1914, but was later transferred to the Royal Engineers. He went to France in March 1916, and after 14 months service in that country he went with his unit to Italy, where he remained until his demobilisation in March 1919.

# THORNE, E. P.

Edgar Percy Thorne (Compositor) enlisted in April 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Regt.

# TITCHMARSH, A. E.

Alan Edward Titchmarsh (Secretary's Department) enlisted in March 1915 in the 203rd Field Coy., Royal Engineers. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in January 1916, and in the same month he went with his unit to France. In March 1917 he returned to England as a candidate for a commission, and after a short spell at the R.E. Depôt, Chatham, he was posted to an Officer Cadet Bn. He was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the 5th Bn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts. and Derby Regt.) in September 1917, and 3 months later he was transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, which became merged in the Royal Air Force in the following April. He obtained his "wings" as a Flying Officer (Pilot), and was promoted Lieutenant, in August 1918.

#### TOPLEY, H. J. W.

Henry John William Topley (Warehouse, Fetter Lane) enlisted in the Royal Army Service Corps in May 1918, at the age of 43. He volunteered for foreign service, but was rejected on medical grounds, and was employed as a Driver (Horse Transport) at home. He was demobilised in March 1919.

### TRANT, A. E.

Albert Edwards Trant (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in July 1917 in the Army Pay Corps. His services were mainly at the Hounslow, Nottingham, and Crystal Palace Pay Offices, and for the last 6 months at the Base in France. He was promoted Corporal in August 1918, and was demobilised in January 1920.

### TROTMAN, A.

Albert Trotman (Compositor) enlisted in the 2nd Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He was promoted Lance-Corporal in February 1916, Corporal in January 1917, and Sergeant in the following August. On January 1st, 1918, he landed in France, on transfer to the 2nd Bn. Worcestershire Regt. He was awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for conspicuous gallantry on April 12th, 1918, and in the same month he was appointed Acting Company Quartermaster-Sergeant. He was demobilised in February 1919.

### TYLER, W. C.

Walter Clement Tyler (Foundry), having already had 1½ years service in the Territorial Force, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on the outbreak of war. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and had more than 2 years service in the field before he was invalided home in July 1917. He was subsequently transferred to the Northamptonshire Regt., and later to the 1st Bn. Leicestershire Regt. He returned to France in April 1918 and was promoted Corporal in the same month. He was wounded in June 1918, but remained in France until February 1919, when he returned to England for demobilisation.

#### ₩WARREN, F. T.

Frederick Thomas Warren (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in February 1915 in the 3/1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt., from which he was afterwards transferred to the 118th Coy., Machine Gun Corps. He went to France in 1916, and on July 31st, 1917, the opening day of the Third Battle of Ypres, he was reported missing; he is now presumed to have been killed in action.

### WARREN, W. H.

William Henry Warren (Reader) enlisted in the Army on the outbreak of war, and was afterwards gazetted Lieutenant in the Royal Army Medical Corps.

### WEBB, B. H.

Bernard Hugh Webb (Machine-minder), who had had 8 years service in the Volunteers and the Territorial Force prior to the outbreak of war, was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in August 1914. He was promoted Sergeant in January 1915, and in the following month he went with the 1/1st Bn. to France. He returned to England in December 1916 and was posted to a Tank and Infantry School in the following February. In August 1917 he was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the 1/1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. and in the following January he proceeded to India on attachment to the 2/4th Bn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. He was promoted Lieutenant in March 1919, and in the following November he was demobilised.

# WEBB, F. J.

Frederick John Webb (Gas Engine Room) attested in December 1915 and was called to the colours in January 1917, in the Royal Engineers. He was employed as an engine driver, and he served in France for more than 2 years—from June 1917 to July 1919.

# ₩EBB, H. S.

Harold Sidney Webb (Apprentice machine-minder) was serving in the Territorial Force when the war broke out and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. He went to France with the 1/1st Bn. in February 1915 and was afterwards

transferred to No. 118 Machine Gun Coy., in which he attained the rank of Sergeant. In August 1917 he was awarded the Military Medal for conspicuous gallantry. He was killed in action near the Ypres-Menin road on November 14th, 1917. An officer writes: "I can truly say that your son's death was keenly felt by the whole Company, as he was one of our most popular and efficient N.C.O.s. He was my Section Sergeant at the time of his death, and I can speak with all truth of his bravery in action and the splendid spirit and good nature he always showed."

#### WEBB, R. F. G.

Ralph Frederick George Webb (Machine-minder) enlisted in November 1915 in the Royal Field Artillery. In December 1917 he went to France and served with the 148th Bde., R.F.A., until April 1918, when he was severely wounded and invalided home to England. He was discharged as medically unfit in the following September.

# WESTWOOD, G. F.

George Frederick Westwood (Warehouse) enlisted in December 1915 in the 3rd Bn. Suffolk Regt. In October 1916 he transferred to the Royal Engineers (Special Brigade), and in the following month he went to France, where he served until the armistice. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in August 1918.

#### WHEATON, N. L.

Noble Leonard Wheaton (Apprentice machine-minder) enlisted on the outbreak of war in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.), from which he was afterwards transferred to the Royal Sussex Regt. In August 1916 he went to France and served there until April 1918. He was wounded in August 1917 and again in April 1918, being sent to hospital in England on the second occasion. He was discharged on medical grounds in September 1918.

#### WHITTAKER, H. H.

Herbert Henry Whittaker (Compositor) enlisted in August 1917 in the Royal Army Ordnance Corps, being nearly 40 years old at the time. He served in France from the beginning of November 1918 until July 1919, when he was demobilised.

# ₩WHITTAMORE, J.

Joseph Whittamore (Compositor) enlisted in June 1916 in The Buffs (East Kent Regt.). In November 1916 he went to France, on transfer to The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regt.) Early in 1918 he received serious wounds from which he never recovered. He died on February 8th, 1918, and was buried at the Military Cemetery, Le Tréport.

# WILKINS, J.

Jack Wilkins (Warehouse) had already served in the Territorial Force for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years before the war, and was mobilised with the Cambridgeshire Regt. on August 4th, 1914. As he was in a low medical category he was retained on home service, and in March 1916 he was discharged on medical grounds.

# WILLERS, G. E.

George Ernest Willers (Compositor) enlisted in May 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Bn. of the Suffolk Regt. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in October 1915, Corporal in January 1916, and Sergeant in the following March. On leaving the Suffolk Regt. he was attached for some months to the King's Royal Rifle Corps before being definitely transferred to the Rifle Brigade. He was wounded in May 1918, and was demobilised in February 1919.

# WILLIAMS, D. E. C.

Donald Ernest Charles Williams (Apprentice machineminder) was only 14 years old at the outbreak of war. In July 1918 he enlisted in the 52nd Bn. Royal Sussex Regt. and in April 1919 was drafted into the Army of Occupation in Germany, where, at the time of writing, he was still serving.

#### ₩ILSON, H.

Herbert Wilson (Monotype caster) enlisted in the 3rd Bn. The Buffs (East Kent Regt.) in April 1916. Less than 3 months later he was posted to the British Expeditionary Force, and in August of the same year he was reported missing. He is now presumed to have been killed in action.

## WILSON, R. W.

Robert William Wilson (Foundry) enlisted in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.) in January 1916 and joined the 1/1st Bn. in France in the following June. He was wounded on October 14th, 1916, and invalided home 2 months later. He was afterwards transferred to The Buffs (East Kent Regt.).

### ₩WING, S. E.

Stanley Edmunds Wing (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in December 1915 in the Cambridgeshire Regt. (T.F.). He went to France in February 1917, on posting to the 1/4th Bn. Suffolk Regt., in which he later fulfilled the responsible duties of a Company "runner." He was seriously wounded on September 26th, 1917, during the Third Battle of Ypres, and died of his wounds on October 2nd at No. 10 Casualty Clearing Station. He was buried at a Military Cemetery near Poperinghe. His Company Commander writes: "He was always cheerful out here, smart and soldierly, and his excellent education and clerkly handwriting enabled him to help me in the Company office work frequently....He did all he was asked to as a soldier really well."

#### WOOD, A. E.

Alfred Ernest Wood (Monotype operator) enlisted in October 1916 in the 17th Bn. Essex Regt. He was employed on East Coast defence, and was demobilised in February 1919.

# ₩WOOD, E. B.

Ernest Banks Wood (Counting-house, Fetter Lane) enlisted in the Royal Fusiliers in June 1916 and joined the British Expeditionary Force within a few months. In January 1917 he was wounded in action so severely that he died from the effect of his wounds a few days later.

#### WOODHOUSE, E. C.

Eustace Charles Woodhouse (Compositor) enlisted in the 1st Bn. Cambridgeshire Regt. in September 1914.

## WOODS, C. M.

Charles Milton Woods (Secretary's Department) enlisted in the Royal Army Medical Corps four days after war was declared. After 6 months service at the 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, he transferred to the 9th Bn. London Regt. (Queen Victoria's Rifles) and in August 1915 he joined their 1st Line Battalion which was at that time serving in the 5th Division in France. In April 1916 he was transferred to the Machine Gun Corps, with which he served until his demobilisation in March 1919. During the fighting of 1916–18 his unit was in the 56th (London) Division, and took part in the Battle of the Somme, the Battle of Arras, the Third Battle of Ypres, the Cambrai affair of 1917, and the final advance from Cambrai to Mons in 1918. He was promoted Lance-Corporal in April 1918 and Corporal in January 1919.

# WREDE, F.

Frank Wrede (Bible Department, Fetter Lane) enlisted in December 1915 in the 31st Bn. Royal Fusiliers. In September 1916 he was posted to the 9th Bn. East Surrey Regt. in France, and with this unit he had more than a year's active service in the field. In November 1917 he was admitted to hospital whilst on leave in England, and in the following January he was discharged from the service as medically unfit.

# WREDE, R.

Robert Wrede (Bible Department, Fetter Lane), who had served for 2 years in the Territorial Force prior to the war, enlisted in December 1915 in the London Scottish, in which he served in the 1st and 2nd Bns. successively. He was drafted to Ireland during the riots at Easter 1916, and in the following June he went to France. After more than 2 years active service in the field, during which he qualified as Physical

Training Instructor and was promoted Lance-Corporal, he was placed in a low medical category and transferred to the Royal Engineers (Inland Waterways and Docks) in October 1918. He was demobilised in the following January.

## WRIGHT, C. H.

Charles Henry Wright (Apprentice compositor) enlisted in March 1917 in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; he was rated Able Seaman in the following October. In March 1918 he was posted to the Royal Naval Division in France, in which he served as a Lewis gunner. He was wounded in August 1918, but remained in France until the following March, when he returned to England for demobilisation.

